

## Todd Mataga AUEA Award

<b>Code:</b>	550
<b>Faculty:</b>	Engineering Business School
<b>Applicable study:</b>	Part IV of BE(Hons) in Chemical and Materials Engineering at the University of Auckland OR BE(Hons) graduate from that department enrolling in an MBA either at the University of Auckland or another comparable university
<b>Closing date:</b>	TBC
<b>Tenure:</b>	One year
<b>For:</b>	Assistance
<b>Number on offer:</b>	Up to two
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	Up to \$5,000 or up to \$10,000 (see reg. 2)

### Description

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The Award was established in 2008 by Todd Mataga's parents and brothers as a memorial to their son and sibling, a graduate of the Department of Chemical and Materials Engineering. The Award is also an acknowledgement of the importance of the Auckland University Engineers Association (AUEA) to the Faculty of Engineering.

### Selection process

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- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- A Selection Committee assesses the applications
- Short-listed candidates will be required to attend an interview
- The Scholarships are awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

### Regulations

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1. The Scholarship shall be known as the Todd Mataga AUEA Award.
2. Up to two Awards shall be awarded annually, each for a period of one year, and will be of the value of up to \$5,000 for students enrolled in Part IV BE (Hons) degree or up to \$10,000 for a student enrolling for an MBA.
3. The Scholarships will be awarded to candidates who have paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for full-time enrolment in Part IV of a BE (Hons) degree specialising in Chemical and Materials Engineering at the University of Auckland or in an MBA at the University of Auckland or another comparable university having previously graduated with a BE(Hons) degree in Chemical and Materials Engineering from the University of Auckland.
4. The basis of selection will be either: undergraduate academic results in Chemical and Materials Engineering, organisational and leadership skills (to hold the award in Part IV of the BE(Hons) degree specializing in Chemical and Materials Engineering); or the conditions listed above and a minimum of 5 years' non-academic work experience (to hold the award while studying for an MBA).
5. The Scholarships shall be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection

Committee comprising of the President (or nominee) of the AUEA, the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering (or nominee) and the Head of Department of Chemical and Materials Engineering (or nominee).

6. The Scholarship may be terminated by the University of Auckland Council, in consultation with the AUEA Board, on receipt of adverse report from the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering.
7. The Selection Committee may refrain from recommending an Award if in any particular year there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
8. The Scholarship's emolument will be paid in one lump sum in the second semester. Special payment arrangements may be considered to accommodate the academic year for an MBA student attending an overseas university.
9. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with AUEA Board, provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.
10. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on TBC. Interviews will take place before the end of July each year.
11. Notes [I]-[IV] below are deemed to be regulations.

## Notes

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- I. In making a recommendation for this Scholarship the Selection Committee shall take into account other scholarships, bursaries and awards held by the candidates, with a view of achieving a fair distribution of monies to qualifying candidates.*
- II. Two further members of AUEA may be invited to attend the interviews, but the selection committee (as outlined in regulation 5) will make recommendation to the University of Auckland Council.*
- III. Winners may re-apply for this award in subsequent years.*
- IV. Awardees are required to submit a written report to the AUEA, approximately 6 months after notification of the award. The brief report shall update AUEA as to the particular engineering career path the awardee is undertaking and the benefit the awardee has gained from the award.*